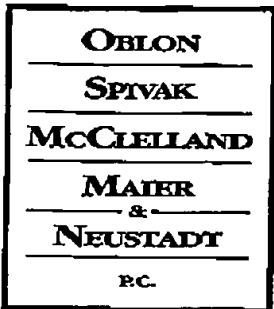


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In response to the Office Action mailed September 20, 2004, and supplemental to the Amendment filed November 17, 2004, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin at page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin at page 9 of this paper.